## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: M. Opsasnick
FUMIAKI ITO ET AL.	)	•
	:	Group Art Unit: 2626
Application No.: 09/839,309	)	-
	:	Confirmation No.: 2780
Filed: April 23, 2001	)	
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For: VOICE BROWSER APPARATUS	)	
AND VOICE BROWSING METHOD	•	October 18, 2006

## Mail Stop RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

An RCE being filed herewith, prior to further examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.